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Sir:

This paper is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2007, along with a request for a one-month extension of time to extend the response date to December 26, 2007 with the three-month date being December 22, 2007 (Saturday) and the closing of the Patent Office on December 24 and 25, 2007 in observance of a federal holiday.

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